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FOR: PROCESSES FOR PRODUCING CARBONIC ESTER AND PRODUCING

POLYCARBONATE

AMENDMENT OF INVENTORSHIP UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.48 (B)

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

It is requested that inventorship be amended to delete the following inventor:

Kazukhio Takeuchi.

The remaining inventors are: Masaya Okamoto, Jun-ichi Sugiyama, and Mitsuru Ueda.

This request to list fewer inventors is due to the cancellation of claims because during prosecution of the nonprovisional application subject matter was cancelled so that fewer than all of the currently named inventors are the actual inventors of the invention being claimed in the nonprovisional application.

This signed request is accompanied by the processing fee set forth in 37 C.F.R. 1.17(i).

Respectfully submitted,

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